



News Force Gets Rest

For a country newspaper printing force there aren't many holidays. This year most of them have come on Thursday—say that, lets us out when it comes to taking a holiday—for Thursday is a busy day for the office. However, we're taking advantage of the Christmas holiday and expect to start Saturday, Dec. 24, with a noon meal Tuesday morning at 8 a. m. So, again Tuesday morning we'll be back in the harness and at your service.

Recent Operations

By Paul Rardin

There are only a few hours left for you to purchase those last-minute gifts for those you desire to remember on Christmas day. I suppose there are a few people who will put off until the last minute the job of buying something for Christmas presents. It isn't a good practice. I know that you would have a wider selection of gifts if you did your buying earlier in the month. All of which reminds me that I have to buy a thing or two between now and tomorrow night.

I wish I had time enough this morning to see all of my friends and wish them a Merry Christmas. I'd like, also, to thank my customers personally for the patronage they have accorded The Everglades News and The Everglades News and The Everglades News during the year fast coming to a close. For after all, if it wasn't for the friendship, loyalty and patronage of many people, the paper would be half as successful.

BLUE DEVILS PETER

Members of the 1938 edition of the Pahokee Blue Devil football team were entertained Tuesday night by members of the Pahokee Athletic Council and others at a banquet and celebration in the social calendar. Graduating members of the squad were especially honored.

School Attorney Says Title To Land Cannot Be Touched

Canal Point Land Has Been Center Of Controversy

Much comment has been heard in Canal Point lately among certain school parents. The leading force in the school board attorney is school-board explanatory and will clear up the matter in the minds of those who have in the past thought otherwise:

West Palm Beach, Fla., December 20, 1938.
Hon Carmen Salvatore,
Board of Public Instruction,
West Palm Beach, Florida.

I have examined the deed from Simon & Watkins to the school board conveying the property commonly referred to as the "Educational School Property."

The deed is executed in due form acknowledged and recorded, and has been the school-board property for many years.

Sometimes when property is given for educational or other purposes, a donor may have included a "reverter clause." Such a clause has the effect of requiring the donee to use the property in a particular way, and if the donee fails to do so or violates the property, then, in that case, the property goes back to the donor, in other words, it reverts back.

The deed referred to has no provision of that kind which would destroy the grant or require the land to go back to Simon & Watkins as the "grantees." In this case, however, the opinion is that if the school board uses the property as a vocational school it may still hold the property and Simon & Watkins cannot claim the title back from the school board.

Yours truly,
C. D. Blackwell.

McKenzie To Build Four Miles Road 26

Work was received this week in the Glades area that Fred McKenzie, of Okeechobee city, has been awarded the contract in Tallahassee to construct the four miles of road on Route 26 between Okeechobee and South Bay. The contractor has 20 days to get his equipment on the ground and start work.

That work, fully completed, will make a finished grade to the "Y" needing only the top coat to complete the highway from South Bay to Fort Lauderdale. One section from "Y" to Miami, which was to be constructed before the highway is complete to that point, was completed by the contractor in its creation. —Palm Beach Post-Times.

Future Farmers Visit Experiment Station

One hundred and fifty members of the Future Farmers of America, boys agricultural club, representing various clubs and including Okeechobee and South Bay, visited the Everglades Experiment Station at Belle Glade Saturday morning.

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Will Weigh Cattle To Determine Gain

From present indications, the pasture-lot feeder steers at the Everglades Experiment Farm are making more substantial weight gains than animals in other herds. The feeders' opinion is that the cattle are competitive and constitute the third annual test feeding operations conducted by the local farm.

From a commercial aspect these indications are of special significance. The animals in the pasture-lot herds are fed the same grain rations as the other animals. Silage and fresh cane are being fed to the other four groups in various quantities.

Although the weight gains have been noted merely through general observation, actual weighing will take place next week at which time all definite results will be announced.

Frost Skips Farm Sea In The Glades

I skipped the Everglades this week and vegetation suffered no damage, according to reports received from various points in the Glades.

The lowest temperature recorded at the Glades was 42 degrees on the ground and 46 at five feet above ground.

With warmer weather advancing into the section, growers are breathing easily once more.

Road 25 Opening Is Still Months Away Despite Optimism

Statement From Coast About Opening Is Misleading

Despite persistent rumors emanating from West Palm Beach that Road 25 is to be opened to the public on January 1, the present state of the construction on this highway does not seem to render this a manifest impossibility. However, it has been closed to the public between Six Mile bridge below Belle Glade and Twenty Mile Bend where it intersects Conner's highway for more than eighteen months. The order that the traffic control might be reduced by width is under consideration.

It is understood that the State Road department is using every effort to complete the construction of this road in order that it may be opened to the public, since the closing of the highway was worked a distinct hardship on all traffic between West Palm Beach and other lower East Coast points.

The road to the west of the point of the Everglades lying west of Belle Glade such as South Bay, Lake Harbor, Clewiston. All traffic has had to be routed through Pahokee and Canal Point.

It is estimated that the increase in the distance to the East Coast by approximately 18 miles.

The section of the highway now under construction will be completed in the near future, with the exception of the bridge, as yet not started.

The Everglades construction company recently instructed H. T. Holoway to start work on their additional contract of 8.6 miles which has recently been awarded.

Work will start on December 28 using all Bryan & Holoway equipment.

In addition to this, the road under construction starts at the 1500-foot mark, there will still remain 1500 feet at the six mile bridge to be constructed before the highway can be completed. It would seem, however, to the most optimistic Everglades that a practicable date for the opening of the highway to the public is still some months in the future.

TEST BOND VALIDITY

To test the validity of \$80,000 of refunding bonds and to determine whether the Special Tax School Districts of Palm Beach and Martin counties should refund their proportionate share of the amount, the school board outstanding, notice of an appeal from an order Dec. 6 vacating a final decree validating the bonds and dismissing the petition of the special tax districts filed January 10, was filed Tuesday by school boards of the two counties.

Three errors were alleged by C. D. Blackwell and O. A. Kanner, attorneys for the Palm Beach and Martin county school boards respectively.

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To and from Miami, 50 minutes from the Miami running time, and 1 hour and 20 minutes from New York to Florida, with the fastest service sections of the Seaboard's crack ever maintained.



Let me convey to you how I feel about you all this season; and the best way to do this is to fall back on the old, reliable words that even after all the years continue to be sweet with meaning—MERRY CHRISTMAS!

"Doc." S. F. Carter
BELLE GLADE

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Old Santa Claus
Is Good To You**

We hope the old gentleman makes a call to your home and leaves just exactly the gifts that every member of the family wanted... and that the memory of a lovely Christmas will long abide in your memory.

A. E. Kirchman

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Come to CHURCH CHRISTMAS

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Belle Glade, Fla.
Christmas is a day of vast significance in the Christian Religion every professing Christian should take time out from their work and their recreation to consider seriously what Jesus has brought to us all.

When Christmas comes on Sunday, as it does this year, every follower of Jesus ought to go to the church of his or her choice and enter in with a spirit that commemorates the natal day of Him who gave his life to establish universal brotherhood. The church is the visible body of Him whose birthday we celebrate on Christmas Day.

J. O. Jameson, Pastor

Christ, the source of our Christian joy.

Christmas is universally celebrated as a day of rejoicing. Why? Because we gather with relatives and friends and exchange gifts? No! The real joy of Christmas is kindled by the unspeakable gift in the heart of every Christian. In two centuries ago God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life. Fear, worry, confusion and insecurity is the order of the day. Peace and economic panacea today are

failures. The Christ-child alone giveth peace and joy to all mankind. The Eastern church invites you to share in this gift.

A. LINDEMAN,

Pastor Lutheran Church,
Belle Glade, Fla.

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. O. Slawson, Pastor
Church school 10:00 a. m.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m.

Evening worship 7:30. This

service will be in charge of your young people who are preparing a Christmas play.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Evening sermon by the pastor.

The pastor and his wife take this means to wish a Very Merry Christmas to the community and express our appreciation of your good-will, loyalty and friendship.

Mid-week services will be extended a cordial invitation to the community to attend these services. If you are not planning to attend other services, please do so.

The editor and his wife take this means to wish a Very Merry Christmas to the community and express our appreciation of your good-will, loyalty and friendship.

Our thanks to the editor for this space.

SOUTH BAY COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. M. O. Slawson, Pastor
Morning worship 9:30 a. m.
Church school 10:00.

The pastor and his wife take this means to wish the community a Very Merry Christmas and express our appreciation of your good-will, loyalty and friendship.

CANAL POINT COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. O. Slawson, Pastor
Morning worship 9:30 a. m.
Church school 10:00.

The pastor and his wife take this means to wish the community a Very Merry Christmas and express our appreciation of your good-will, loyalty and friendship.

Bring your gifts of food for this service so that others might have a joyful Christmas too—Christian sharing with others; can we not help serve our God in this simple.

To those in this community for the harvest season we extend a cordial welcome to these services.

Wednesday mid-week prayer service at 7:30.

SOUTH BAY COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. M. O. Slawson, Pastor
Morning worship 9:30 a. m.
Church school 10:00.

CANAL POINT BAPTIST CHURCH

(In Woman's Club Building)
S. B. Jordan, Pastor.
Sunday school meets at 10:00 a. m.—Classes for all ages. C. B. Jones is our superintendent.

Morning worship 9:30.
Church school 10:30.

SOUTH BAY BAPTIST CHURCH

S. B. Jordan, Pastor
Prayer services Thursday evening, 7:30.

B. Y. P. U. Sunday evening, 7:00.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. L. J. Flynn, Pastor
Mass and sermon, Sunday 10:30 a. m., except last Sunday of month when services start at 8 a. m.

Holy Name Sunday every second Sunday.

Altar Society meets last Wednesday of month.

Parish social club second Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Wednesday at 8 p. m.

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Holy Day services 9:30 a. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Fred L. Martin, Pastor
Pahokee, Florida
Church school 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m.

Young people's service 6:45 p. m.

Evening worship 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Parish, First, Pahokee,
Spencer F. Beard, Pastor
Sunday school, all departments

9:45.

Sunday morning worship, 11 o'clock.

Baptist Training Union, Sunday, 6:15 p. m.

Mid-week Prayer services Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.

A welcome is extended to all.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Pahokee, Fla.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 a. m.

Junior society, 7 p. m.

Young people's meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Mid-week prayer meeting Thursday, 8 p. m.

L. D. S. SUNDAY SCHOOL

(South Bay)

10 a. m.—Sunday school, Melvin Herring, superintendent.

8:30 p. m.—Meeting service.

THE EVERGLADES NEWS, CANAL POINT, FLORIDA

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Belle Glade, Fla.

J. O. Jameson, Pastor

R. W. Kitter, Church School Sup't

Mrs. F. D. Kitter, President

Ladies Aid

Schedule of Services

SUNDAY SERVICES:

Church school 10:00 a. m.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m.

Evening worship 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, 3:00 p. m.

Kings Herald second and fourth

Thursday, 4:00 p. m.

Church practice, Thursday, 8:00

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL ITEMS

Pahokee and Canal Point

MISSIONARY SOCIETY
Met Thursday

Members of the Baptist Women's Missionary Society, in a meeting to organize a business woman's circle, Miss Elizabeth Caraway presided. Mrs. P. Fletcher explained the need and purpose of the circle. Mrs. Ira York was elected chairman and a committee to determine the duties, rules and officership of the circle. Officers will be elected at the next meeting. Following recommendations made by the nominating committee, the following members include Mrs. R. S. Douthit, Miss E. McArthur, Mrs. Ira York, Mrs. Reid Clifton, Miss Elizabeth Caraway, Mrs. Minnie

Callaway, Mrs. Wiley Tillis, Mrs. S. Chastain, Mrs. M. Erler, Mrs. E. E. Coleman and Mrs. A. P. Wimberley.

Woman's Club
Has Annual Party

The Woman's club held its annual Christmas party at the club house on December 12th. A. H. Dalton, program chairman, presented Miss Dorothy Hickerson and Miss Thomas, of Tampa, in several songs and acrobatic dances, accompanied by Miss Simmons on the piano. Mrs. C. C. Dalton, song, and Barbara Ann Dalton, reading. Gifts were exchanged. At the business session preceding the party the club voted a cash

donation to the Tuberculosis association in West Palm Beach. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Rupert Mock, Mrs. J. E. Cochran, Jr., Mrs. Wade Ammons, Mrs. Henry Brook, Mrs. J. W. Cochran, Mrs. C. T. Cone, Mrs. E. M. Douthit, Mrs. E. E. Coleman, Mrs. A. H. Dalton, Mrs. B. Elliott, Mrs. Victor Geiger, Mrs. A. Q. Howell, Mrs. B. J. Barwick, Mrs. W. G. Gate, Mrs. Frank Roselle and others.

SUNDAY SCHOOL
CLASSES HAVE PARTY

Members of the Sunday school classes of Mrs. E. G. Kilpatrick, Jr., and Mrs. G. B. Ramsey, enjoyed a joint Christmas party at the Methodist church on December 18th. Attending were Jack Thomas, Clarence Padgett, William Kilpatrick, Frank Roselle, Billy Ray Blakley, David Ramsey, Billy Bailey, Glen Bolton, Ray Johnson, Charles McLaughlin, Jesse Trimble, Murray Weeks, Fay Batcher, Emma Crel, Amelia Simmons, Jacqueline Martin, Helen Brooks, Ann Simmons and others.

Mrs. D. W. Cunningham and son, David, Jr., returned Monday from Rocky Ford, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Couey, Atlanta, Ga., will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Staford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Willis, Williston, are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Miller and Mr. and Mrs. William Staford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris and children, Mrs. Elizabeth and Bill, Jr., have gone to Arcadia to reside.

Mrs. H. J. Johnson reported with this week that her daughter, Miss Louise Duncan, underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis at the hospital in Danbury, Conn., where Miss Duncan is training to be a nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. Wray has returned from Lake Worth.

Jack Smith has arrived from Gulfport, Miss., to spend the holi-

days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith.

Millard Mizelle, Sidney and Roy Baxley, Arcadia are guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Harison.

Mrs. Tolly Youngblood has returned from Okeechobee.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Elliott and son, Thomas, Jr., Mrs. T. G. Dickson and sons, Thomas a. n. o. Charles, visited Dr. and Mrs. O. P. Hazen in West Palm Beach.

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The children got presents from the Christmas tree, Mrs. Ralph Kidder, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. J. R. Noller, served birthday cake and jello. The children played games in the yard.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Miller are spending the holidays in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Miller's golden wedding anniversary. The reception will be directly after the Christmas Night Vesper service at the Community church. Come and help the Millerites celebrate their anniversary.

Mrs. Roy White and daughter of Wareboro, Ga., will arrive Saturday to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Miller.

John Longaker visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Longaker, at Wabasso Sunday.

Earnestine Foulk of Maryville College, Tennessee, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Haney.

Margaret West is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. West, of Chosen, for the holidays.

Elizabeth Jameson of Stetson University is with her family, the Rev. and Mrs. Jameson, during her vacation from school work.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Harris spent the week end in Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Alsapugh were in West Palm Beach Wednesday night to attend a foot ball banquet.

Mrs. W. G. Cate has as guests Mr. and Mrs. C. L'Engle and son, Claude, and Mr. and M. O. Shawson of Canal Point will entertain his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Betmer.

Carolyn is a student at Mont Verde college.

Lola and Patricia Harris are spending Christmas vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Harris. Lola and Pat are also students at Mont Verde.

Troop 1 of the Girl Scouts had their weekly meeting at the Community church last Monday. They discussed the first law: "A Girl Scout is a person who...

Scout's honor is to be trusted."

Troop 1 has been requested to fill candy bags for the children to be given at the Community Christmas tree tonight.

Troop 2 had a surprise party for their captain, Mrs. Martha Freeman. They played games and enjoyed tasty refreshments. After the party, they went from house to house to collect candy.

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REVISED CODE

F. W. Kelly, Belle Glade waterworks superintendent, delivered to the city commissioners a revised building code for the city, to be presented to the city commission in session Wednesday night that the code will be approved for official approval by the county commissioners.

Mr. Kelly stated that a number of provisions included in the code are dependent upon the formulation of a fire zone district in the city.

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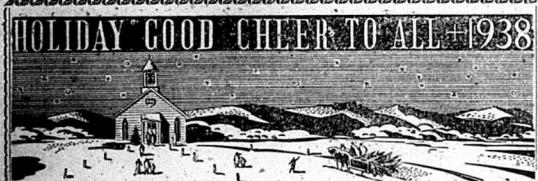
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GREETINGS . . . To Our Friends & Patrons

Christmas is made joyous by our friends. Their desires and needs are of interest to us all the year round. We are happy knowing that our friends are happier. May the New Year bring you peace and joy and may we be privileged to serve you to the end. And for real enjoyment—

During The Christmas Holidays

We Offer A Splendid Array of Movies

PRINCE

THEATRE—PAHOKEE

Sunday—Monday—Dec. 25-26
"Five Of A Kind"
With the Dionne Quintuplets

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At Your... SERVICE

At this Yuletide as well as during the rest of the year we are at your service to do what we can to aid the betterment of the community, our friends and patrons. You can count on us to serve you to the best of our ability. And now, we wish for you in all sincerity a Christmas of Joy and Cheer.

KAHN'S

Belle Glade

Pahokee

Glades Men Named Officials Of County Boy Scout Council

J. S. Harrington, Canal
Point, J. R. Neller, Belle
Glade, Chosen

Dr. J. R. Neller, of the Belle Experiment station, and J. S. Harrington of Canal Point, were elected the new members elected by the Gulf Stream Council of Boy Scouts at the general meeting of directors held last Friday night at the Hotel Dixie Court, West Palm Beach. Both Dr. Neller and Harrington were nominated as board members.

President R. D. Hill, who presided at the meeting, was reelected to the presidency for the coming year following presentation of the annual report of the nominating committee chairman. Preparations for the annual meeting of Gulf Stream Council of Boy Scouts were made by directors who were present, seven in number, and a list of officers was nominated, tentatively adopted, and two Beaver awards were voted for. Two Beaver awards were voted for outstanding service to the camp, recently voted by A. R. Squires, committee chairman. The awards will be presented later when recipients will be identified. The board also voted to contract for \$1,600 of insurance on camp property.

Ernest Skinner, treasurer, reported all districts have paid their quotas for 1938. Ernest Metcalf, chairman of the finance committee, submitted a report and presented a budget for 1939 in which he favored a drive following the Boy Scout Week, February 8-14. A tentative budget was accepted subject to results of the drive.

The executive board membership of 29 will be increased to 35 in 1939. John D. Hill, mayor of Pahokee, is among district chairmen who are ex-officio members of the board.

C. G. Williams reported advanced training for the first 11 months of 1938 as follows: 16 Eagle Scouts, 17 Life Scouts, 44 Star Scouts, 972 meri badges, 101 first class Scouts and 250 second class Scouts, among Easterners, mostly from within in the Gulf Stream council.

John Day reported there are indications three or four new units will be organized this month in Sebring and Clewiston. A recent report by Dr. W. H. Weems that a one-bed hospital be erected at the camp for isolation purposes in event any disease is suspected, was approved. Mr. Hill was authorized to apply for a \$1,000 loan to the possibility of reserving the camp site and lake as a game and fish preserve. The Rev. Frank Atkinson reported on camping and recommended the use of a tent.

A new policy was adopted regarding supplies to the effect that in the future supplies ordered by Scouts must be paid for in cash. Executive George P. Freeman was authorized to obtain \$500 credit with the national supply office.

Leon A. Paine was appointed chairman of the council circus committee. Date for the annual meeting, which will be held early in January, is to be determined by election of Mr. Hill and Mr. Nielsen, who are to obtain a speaker.

Have you ever stopped to figure that the man who spends more time in his car than other people is business than to his own is never burdened with a very heavy income tax assessment?

It is impossible to dodge all of the laws in this country. There is a fellow's in-laws for instance.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Here

Truly, here is "Gift Headquarters"! A store full of beautiful, attractively-priced gifts that will make your gift "problem" easy to solve! Cosmetics, Toilet Articles, Household News, Cigars and Humidors, Books, Games and Toys, Stationery, Fountain Pens, etc. Come in and look!

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PAHOKEE HIGH SCHOOLS HONOR ROLLS FOR SECOND SIX WEEKS — 1938-39

Honor Roll With Honors
12th grade: Robert Creech; 11th grade: Gladys Elton, Beryle Thomas; 10th grade: None; 9th grade: Charles Creel; 8th grade: Betty Speer, Esther Kilpatrick; 7th grade: Alice Harkness, Honor Roll.

12th grade: Louise Bookner, Nancy Hooker, Clark Hull, Dorothy Winne, Bette Aly, Bob Bedell, Josephine Wood, Mary Berdeaux, Dan Beardsley; 10th grade: Henry Kilpatrick, Roberta Thomas, Doris Wells; 9th grade: Mike Sanders, Abel Jenkins; 8th grade: Adair Garrett; 7th grade: Jacqueline Henry.

Honorable Mention

12th grade: Martha Allen, Dorothy Elton, Maida Harrington, Hubert Geiger, John Kautz; 11th grade: Marvin Unwin, Mary Louise Jeffries, Frances Elam, Eanda Jones, John Jones, John Armstrong; 10th grade: Sylvia Jones, Jane Sims, Juanita Erler, Odessa Whidden, Roy Kautz, Tiny Todd, Robert Jones, Jackie Collier, Evelyn Hunter, Mabel Moore, Gene Wharton; 9th grade: Lois Byrd; 8th grade: Hilda Hull; 7th grade: Jean McKenzie, Dorothy Sullivan, Ruth Wright, Margaret Anderson.

For The 12th. Consecutive Year . . . MERRY CHRISTMAS!

During the year now drawing to a close you have been good friends and loyal customers, and at this season we wish to take this means of extending to you our sincere wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a New Year filled with happiness and prosperity.

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West Palm Beach
"Service To The Glades"



Morrow Is Named Polio Chairman

Russell O. Morrow, prominent in business and civic circles in West Palm Beach, has been named Palm Beach county chairman of "Fight Infantile Paralysis" campaign, W. T. Edwards, Florida chairman of the committee for the celebration of the president's birthday, announced today.

Morrow is particularly happy to have Mr. Morrow as Palm Beach county chairman. Mr. Edwards said in making his announcement of the appointment: "We know that the people of Palm Beach county will respond to the call and take a conspicuous part in the state-wide campaign against infantile paralysis."

"President Roosevelt, at Warm Springs, Georgia, Thanksgiving Day, pointed out the need for funds and the new plan of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis to establish permanent chapters in every county in the country."

Further, he said, the campaign will be divided on 50-50 basis. One-half remaining in the county where raised, to be turned over to the permanent chapter when organized. The other half will be used in the national campaign against the disease.

Negro Drowns Retrieving Ducks

Will Sanders, a Belle Glade negro, was drowned about 10 o'clock Friday morning, when, according to Peace Justice G. A. Hubbell, he went into a canal to retrieve ducks shot by J. O. Darden, prominent Belle Glade farmer.

Mr. Darden, after shooting the ducks, the justice said, unaware Sanders had gone into the first marsh until called by neighbors to witness. After unsuccessful efforts to revive Sanders, Justice Hubbell was notified and after viewing the body, he called it an "unavoidable drowning," with no inquest necessary.

**Merry Christmas
—And A—
Happy New Year**

We take great pleasure in wishing all of our many friends a very happy Christmas and a most prosperous New Year.

During the ten years of our steady growth and development in the Everglades, we have constantly worked towards serving this great region in the best possible manner. We thank our many fine customers for their assistance in making it possible for us to grow with Belle Glade and the Everglades section. It shall be our continued effort to afford honest, sincere service to everyone throughout the coming year and for many years to come.

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Our wish at this Yule tide is that you may receive your share of all the good things.

AT THE

Theatres

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

When Dr. Allen Roy Dafos presented with a print of the Dionne Quintuplets new starring project, "Five of a Kind," the famous five chapters have been added to one of the most important and interesting of all screen volumes.

Dafos, physician to Yvonne, Annette, Cecile, Emilie and Marie Dionne, born on the date of birth, May 28, 1934, has assembled an almost complete and continuous screen biography of the only quintuplets in world history. The chapters, each hour, have been added to one of the most important and interesting of all screen volumes.

Agent Mounts referred to the movement to establish a more diversified agriculture in the Everglades as that which may be freed from dependence on speculative crops. Beef production is developing and many farms are growing and raising sugar cane, if the grower is so inclined or removed.

An average annual income of \$100 per acre may be expected by growing cane, he believed.

During the meeting, members exchanged toy gifts which were later collected for shipment to the county children's home. A fund of \$28 also was raised as a Christmas gift for children at the meeting.

J. E. Blackham was in charge of the program, and S. J. Townsell, vice president, presided.

Mounts Is In Favor More Sugar Quota

Farmers in the Glades section who are fighting for an increase in the Florida sugar quota and for lower freight rates on Lake region vegetables should be aided by Palm Beach county business interests.

Agent Mounts in a speech delivered at the Lions club luncheon at the Hotel George Washington, West Palm Beach.

Co-operation of business men in these efforts will be warmly welcomed by the farmers, Mr. Mounts said. He termed the present sugar quota and the Cuban trade agreements determinants to this section.

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All of them combine to form a solid document of tremendous value.

The Quins have given considerable thought to their future and have accepted the advice of their talents. Accordingly the most interesting contribution to this film record will be the print of "Five of a Kind," for this picture, acclaimed, their best, shows the Quins in real, ver-suality and each expressing a different personality.

The story of "Five of a Kind," a 20th Century Fox picture, plays at the Palace in Palm Beach Sunday and Monday.

The cast headlines Jean Herschell, Clark Trevor and Cesario Romero, with Slim Summerville, Henry Wilcoxon, Inc., Constance Cummings, Jane Darwell, Patrice Moore and others. It's the Quins, however, who are the stars of the show as they sing, dance, make music and fun, and tell all about it.

The feature attraction Sunday and Monday at the Everglades theatre in Belle Glade is "Peanut Sisters" with the famous Lure Sisters and Claude Raines.

PAHOKEE LEADS IN SALE TO DATE

According to tabulations made by the Health and Welfare Council of the Palm Beach County Board of Education, in Palm Beach County, Paohokee leads in the percentage race in the Christmas sale, with the chairman, Mrs. B. Elliott, reporting \$49 to date. She is being assisted by Mrs. May Williams and Mrs. W. G. Cate.

Belle Glade has reported \$24 in sales with Canal Point having a record last week of \$11. Total county collections last week were only \$200 or exactly one-half of the goal set for Christmas day.

When you find any boy who doesn't want to eat things because they make him sick—then he is sick.

PAHOKEE WINNER

Golf Championship

Charles Fenwick, long-hunting Illinois boy, who spends his winters in Clewiston and summers in Chicago, last Sunday won the first official Everglades medal golf championship over the Clewiston Golf club layout, with a 36 hole score of 142, 10 strokes better on the last nine. Fenwick needed a 39 to win by one stroke over little Doc VanLandingham, and although his game looked rather ragged in spots, a determined effort by him to stretch in the exact figures needed. Trailing Fenwick was VanLandingham with 164 and Emmett Shelley of Clewiston with 166.

Ed Ward of Clewiston who won the second flight with 181, nosing out Ralph Kirk of Belle Glade, who finished with 187. H. C. "Casper" VanLandingham took third flight with 187, nosing out Dr. W. J. White of Belle Glade by a single stroke.

The new medal champion also took the lead in the qualifying rounds for the 1939 amateur play championship, a 42-39 s. Emmett Shelley occupying second place with an 82.

Qualifying rounds for the first 1939 championship event will continue through Dec. 31 with match play starting Jan. 1.

Fenwick received a beautiful trophy emblematic of the medal award. Ward and VanLandingham receiving gold golf balls.

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We realize that our business could never have even the slightest degree of success without the loyal patronage of you who have been our friends, and in gratitude we wish to thank you.

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We hope you accept our wish for you in the spirit we send it for we mean every word of it. May this season be the brightest you have ever known and your New Year one of happiness and prosperity.

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You have been good to us, and we earnestly hope that Christmas will be good to you... and we know it will!

It is our wish... most sincerely... that this will be the finest and most satisfying Christmas that has ever come to you, a day and a season filled with the realization of hopes nearest to your heart.

When 1938 peers its smiling face across the boundary line of the New Year, we hope that it will bring you health and pecks and tons of the things that you hope and strive for.

Geiger Air Service

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PAHOKEE

CARS IN DITCH

Fred B. Miller, of Fort Lauderdale, and B. R. Rowhan, of Paohokee, narrowly escaped possible serious injuries about 7 o'clock last Friday night when their cars were forced into a deep ditch.

The accident occurred

about a mile west of South Bay

According to Deputy John Kirk, who investigated, six women pedestrians were the innocent victims. A man, driving a light truck, attempted to pass around Miller, not seeing the women. The deputy said both vehicles were badly wrecked, but neither occupant was injured. No charges were filed, he said.

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Dressing up isn't such a task. The old fashioned handkerchief for the average male resident may have been less sanitary than in times of colds, but at least you didn't run your hand through them at each hard brush.



The Season's Greetings to you and yours for a Merry Christmas and Most Prosperous New Year.

—LARRY NASH.



Now comes the high tide of the year, Christmas, when the human heart looks back upon the spent year and forward into the new one.

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Committee Won't Contest Water Depth

A survey for an eight-foot channel in the cross-state waterway between Fort Pierce and Punta Rassa, having been recommended by Col. Jarvis J. Bain, U. S. division engineer, officials of the Okeechobee Flood Control district said last week they will probably not appeal from his adverse report on the district's application for a ten-foot channel.

Local committees have three weeks in which to appeal to the board of engineers for rivers and harbors. The division engineer's report expressed the opinion a ten-foot channel would not be necessary for dredging prospective canals or for the improvement of dredges, and the benefits would not justify the cost.

Although the survey can be made within 10 days, no action will be necessary for Congress to adopt the eight-foot project before the work can be completed. A portion of the waterway is already eight feet or more in depth, and it is anticipated that the remaining dredging will be financed out of annual maintenance appropriations. The waterway now has a controlling depth of six feet.

LICENSES DUE

County Tax Collector Stetson O. Johnson, and others required to obtain state and county occupational licenses to do so by January 1 because, under the law, he is required to take out warrants against delinquents shortly after the first of the year. The licenses have been on sale since October 1.

37 Schools In Palm Beach County Rate As Being Approved

State Board Ranks Them As Standard Schools

TALLAHASSEE, Dec. 22

State Superintendent Collier Englehardt announced today that 37 public schools in Palm Beach county fulfill state educational requirements and are on the approved by the Board of Education as standard schools.

Five of the standard schools were accredited last year by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary schools. These are Boca Raton high school, Palm Beach high school, Lake Worth high school, Palm Beach high school, and Palm Beach high school.

Credit is earned by states of these schools will be accepted for entry in a university or college in America which does not require special examination of all entrants.

Other Palm Beach county schools which meet the minimum requirements are: Belle Glade, Belle Glade, Boca Raton, elementary, Boynton elementary, Canal Point grammar, Central elementary, Delray, Jupiter high, Estero elementary, Greenacres elementary, Jupiter elementary, Jupiter high, Kelsey City elementary, Kelsey City, Jupiter high, Lake Harbor elementary, Lantana elementary, Loxahatchee elementary, Northboro elementary, Northboro junior

school, North grade elementary, North grade intermediate, Palm Beach Junior high, Palmetto elementary, Riviera elementary, Riviera Junior high, South Bay elementary, South Bay Junior high, Southboro elementary, West Gate elementary, West Gate Junior high, West Grade elementary.

Work Is Complete On Drainage Project

H. A. Rosenberg, secretary and treasurer of the Palm Beach Suburban, Inc., has announced the completion of a rehabilitation project for the district attained through an \$8,500 RPC loan. The project, which included the galvanic percolation, pump installation, two concrete and steel water gates, canal cleaning, bridge building and other minor maintenance work, will greatly increase the speed of soil infiltration in the district during wet weather.

NET GAME UNDER LIGHTS

Four illuminated basket ball goals arrived at the Stuart high school gymnasium last week and will be used for the first regular game in January between Stuart and Stuart. Coach Frank Hobson is training the Blue Devil quintet while J. Fred Evans, also regular foul ball coach, is bringing the Stuart outfit along.

Colorado Town Revives Ritual Of Log Burning

PALMER LAKE, COLO.—Residents of this high-perched town on the Great Divide celebrate their annual Christmas in an old-fashioned way, by burning the traditional yule log.

Each year the log is secretly cut from the forest and hidden among the trees until rocks awaiting the finder to whom goes the honor of dragging it into town.

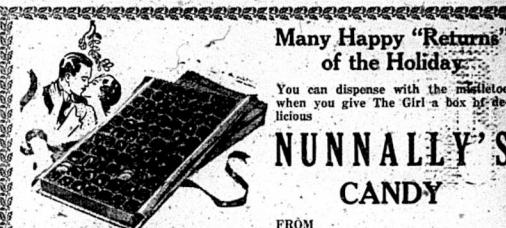
This year for the first time Palmer Lake buried its yule log in the town hall where local firemen built a huge stone fireplace wide enough to accommodate a log. The log was cut from a tree which had been felled in a private home where fewer guests could be accommodated.

The time for the yule log starts at 1 p.m. when participants are summoned by a bugle to meet in front of the hall.

The yule log has a colorful history. In Scandinavia, where Thor, the god of thunder, was worshipped, great log fires were built along the rocky shores both at mid-summer and mid-winter in order to please him for his rumbling wrath.

When the early fathers subcreted the feast of the Nativity for that of Martinmas, the Persian sun god, Mithra, was worshipped on December 25 in early Rome. A different note crept in. Yule-tide became a time for feuds to cease.

In England before the Reformation, bringing in the log was an important part of the Christmas festivities. The community usually gathered in the hall of the local inn and the yule log was kindled with due ceremony and all partook in the Wassail cup, a sweet cider flavored with fruits and spices.



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